(a) and (b). Proposals have been received from time to time from the State Governments for augmenting the strength of High Courts. Creation of 46 new posts of permanent Judges and 47 new posts of Additional Judges have been approved in different High Courts.

RBI survey of reserves and surpluses of large textile mills

323. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI : Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state

(a) whether it is a fact that according to a recent RBI Survey about 13 per cent of the large textile mills like Reliance, Century, Bombay Dyeing, Thakersay, Raymond, Orkay, Piramal and Morarjee hold 60 per cent of all the reserves and surpluses of the entire industry and currently account for over 55 per cent of the new investment of the industry in fixed assets; and

(b) if so what steps are being taken to rectify these trends in the industry ?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI SHARAD YADAV) : (a) According to Reserve Bank of India, no survey of large textile mills has been conducted by them.

(b) Does not arise, in view of (a) above.

Installed capacity of mints and currency Printing presses in the country

324. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the installed capacity of all the mints and currency printing presses at present, unitwise; and

(b) whether there is any proposal to increase the installed capacity of any of the mints or currency printing presses and if so, what are the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (PROF. MADHU DANDAVATE): (a) The existing annual installed capacity of the mints and currency printing presses with 54 hours working per shift per week is:

		(In Million Pieces)
1.	Currency Note Press, Nasik Road.	4600
2.	Bank Note Press, Dewas.	1800
3.	India Govt. Mint, Calcutta.	750
4.	India Govt. Mint, Bombay.	775
5.	India Govt. Mint, Hyderabad.	450
6.	India Govt. Mint, NOIDA (with 44 Hours working per week)	1800

(b) There is a proposal for increasing the installed capacity of the mints and currency printing presses. After modernisation, the capacity of the mints taken together will go up to 4500 million pieces per annum with 48 hours working per shift per week. The note printing capacity, will go up to 7370 million pieces per annum with 54 hours working per shift per week.

Establishment of a Development Council for fish processing industry

325. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to establish a Development Council for fish processing industry; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCES-